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As authorized by the inventor(s), transmitted herewith for filing
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- X A specification consisting of 20 pages
- X 7 sheet(s) of FORMAL drawings
- X Certified copy of Priority Document(s)
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- Applicant claims small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27
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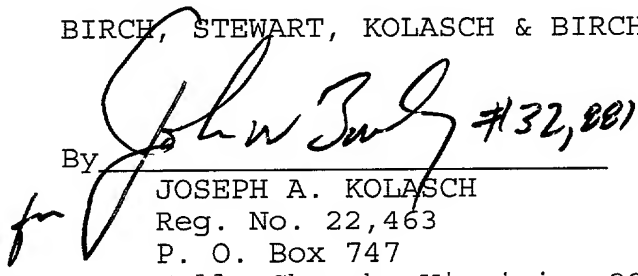
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